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SOUTH-CAROLINA GAZETTE,

Containing the freshest Advices, Foreign and Domestick.

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More Work for a Cooper. Ho!

Mr. *CLIENS.*

BY Accident we saw the EXTRACT publish'd in the last *Gazette*, in our own Writing, as it was going to the Press. And as it reflects upon a Gentleman whom we esteem, without any further Ceremony we send you the following Remarks upon it

REM. 1. AS this was printed from your own Writing, we suppose we have the whole of the Story, at least *all* that makes for your Purpose.

2 FROM the Report you made, we expected to see Somewhat vastly worse. If this is all, you might as well have spent your Time in picking your Teeth or paring your Nails.

3 YOUR Correspondent is past 70 Years of Age and useless: He does not know Faces, and in Effect confesses in this *Extract*, That he knows not who nor what he is speaking of.

4 [illegible] Characters, and none but such would pretend to give the Character of a Gentleman he had not seen nor known any Thing of for many Years.

5. EVERY Action that a Man does must be either sinful or not so.

6. 'TIS evident your Correspondent would not have spared the Person he had in View, whoever he was, had he been able to say any Evil of him.

7 HE recommends Mr. *Wh—d*, tho' he could not approve of his *Conduct*, and *notwithstanding all his Imprudencies*, * and acts an ungenerous Part by this Person, tho' he could charge him with nothing SINFUL. See how the poor Gentleman is alter'd! Surely, he is fitter to sing a Cradle Song than to give Characters.

8 AND you have dispersed your old Friends in the Country once more, and raised a Hurricane in this Town, as well as in *L—d—n*, by the mighty Magick of this famous *Extract!*

9 WE could judge Ourselves of Sentiments, and knew what pleas'd us as well as your Correspondent could tell us.

10. IF this must be the Man, your Correspondent hath clear'd up the ONLY Point we wanted to be satisfied in — NOTHING SINFUL. Pray let us have *all*, or none *Sir.*

11. WE cou'd get as great and as good Men to write the very same Words of Mr. *Wh—d*, and even of yourself — nay, We (who in Time you will find to be all considerable Persons) could say the same Things of your Correspondent. Some of his Sentiments do not please us at all, particularly his Whims about the Infants, in his *Fall and Recovery*: And we dislike a great Part of his Conduct, more especially his writing this Letter.

12. *E—s* we know, and *S—b* we know, but your Correspondent we never saw

13. 'TIS Pity you did not extract one Line more, and let the World see, how carefully the *Old Lady* wishes, That Religion may flourish every where as it has in *New S—d* for *three Years* past. What ever the Confusions there are owing to, either your Correspondent takes up with very bad Intelligencies, or is not fit to be trusted with a Pen. Who would wish to see all the World in a Blaze?

14 ALL this will not justify your turning this Gentleman out of the Chair. Will not justify what you had done *before* the Letter came to Hand It will justify nothing.

15 We are fully satisfied you have ap[illegible]

16. [illegible] Letter after this Manner was dishonourable.

17. Who doubts but other and better Ministers may be had from the Academies of *NE?* But who ask'd his Directions or yours either? This seems to have been squeez'd out of him. And this had no Business in the *Extract*, unless it was to prevail with us *to let you manage every Thing.* But more of squeezing, managing and voting at a Minute's Warning another Time

18 Crying this *Extract* about Town like the *Evening Post* or the *Annals of Newgate*, savours strongly of Spite, Envy and Malice; Therefore do not say it was *only Revenge* There was not the least Provocation given, and we join with honest Mr. *Thomas Lovetruth*, who plainly tells you, *He thinks this was done that Men might speak as reverently Mr. E—s in what Bugbear Shapes they pleas'd.* And we agree with the same Gentleman, *That the Man who scandalizes his Neighbour falsely, and persists therein* (as in the Case of the Pamphlet) does very ill. That you may repent of this monstrous Action, and likewise of your having concealed the MEDALS (a Piece of Iniquity that will always hang to you like a Millstone) is the sincere Desire and firm Resolution of

Your humble Servants.

T. S.	S. A.	I H.	D. L.
D. H.	H. P.	R. J.	P. B.
S. C.	T. Y.	A P.	G H.
T. D.	S. B.	M. P.	L. S.

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P.S. We have seen the Letter you wrote the other Day, and are far from agreeing with you That Mr *E—s* is the greatest V—l—n in all the Province. We think tha you should mind your own Business, and that *No.* 20 and *No.* 90 had great Injustice done them.

Philadelphia, May 30. On Monday last arrived here a Sloop from *Georgia*, in which came Capt. *Townsend*, late Commander of the Brig *Tyger* of *Rhode-Island*, who informs us, that he was taken by a *Spanish* Privateer Sloop, *Julian Joseph De La Vega* Commander, just off the Bar of *Charles Town*, in Sight of the Town, and *Two Men of War that were in the Harbour*, who were not in Readiness to come out in pursuit of the Privateer 'till 5 Days after. She had two Consorts, another *Spanish*, and a *French Sloop*, and came out of *Augustine* on a Scheme to cut Capt. *Frantland* and his Prize out of *Rebellion Road* where they [illegible] Fog of Friday [illegible] Part of the 3 Crews were to lie concealed in the Hold of the *French* Sloop, who was to stand in under *English* Colours, take a Pilot at the Bar, run up with few Hands clap the Ships suddenly on board, man them and bring them out; this they thought very feasible, as they imagined that most of the Officers and Men would be on shore According'ly they took the Pilot Boat the Day before Capt. *Townsend* was taken, but understanding that the *Rose* was up at *Hobcaw* careening, the Project drop'd. They took 5 small Schooners belonging to *Charlestown*, outward bound to *Providence, Jamaica*, &c. with Rice, and a large Ship, of 300 Tons, inward-bound from *Madera* with Wines She belong'd to *London*, and had been to *Gibraltar* with Stores. They carried their Prizes to *Augustine*, but the Ship drawing too much Water, was unloaded without the Bar; and afterwards in going in, the *Spaniards* being drunk with the Wine, run her aground, where she roll'd her Masts overboard and bilg'd. They knew at *Augustine* of the *Cape Breton* Expedition Capt. *Julian* having heard it talk'd of at *Charlestown*, when he was there in the Flag of Truce: They were at first under Apprehensions that 'twas really intended against them, and the Preparations made so far to the Northward that they might have no Notice of it.

New York, June 3. Friday last arri'd two of our Privateers from a Cruize, viz. the

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* See the *Gazette*, No. 445.

Sloop *Clinton*, Capt. *Seymour*, and Sloop *Mary Anne*, late Capt. *Tucker*, now Capt. *Leonard*; and brought in with them a *French* ship Prize of 200 Tons, which they took the 7th of *May* last: By Invoice her Cargo consists of 260 Hogsheads of brown Sugar, 22,000 lb. of Indigo, 30 Serons of Cocoa, and 15 Bales of Cotton. The Day before this Prize was taken, they fell in with a *Spanish* ship of 36 Guns, full of Men: The *Clinton* coming up with her first, engaged her for some Time alone, when she received several shot between Wind and Water; and having 4 Foot Water in her Hold, was obliged to sheer off to stop her Leaks: Night coming on they lay by till Morning, and then began afresh; they continued very warmly till past 10 o'Clock, when the *Clinton* was much disabled, and received from her Consort the melancholy News of Capt. *Tucker* and two of his Men being shot: At that instant the Prize Ship appeared, and all their Strength being near exhausted they left the Spaniard and made after her, which they came up with and took the same Evening. Capt. *Tucker* was a Person of an excellent Disposition, and behaved with undaunted Courage and Resolution to his last Moment; he was justly beloved by his Men, and died much regretted by em all, as well as by every one who had the Pleasure of his Acquaintance.

Philadelphia, July 25.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentlemen in Anguilla, *to his Friend in* St. Kitts, *dated May* 20, 1745

On the 14th Instant, early in the Morning, we were surprized by a Fleet of French, consisting of two Men of War, one of 36 Guns, the other of 32, with 3 Privateers, and two Dutch Vessels, as Tenders. They had undiscovered put on Shore 750 Men, at a Place call'd Rendezvous Bay: Their Success in Landing was a great Encouragement to them, and a great Discouragement to us; our whole Force being 97 Men only. These our Lieut. Governor Arthur Hedge, formed into three Divisions, and posted them in a very narrow Path (by which the French were to pass) secured with Breast works, the first of which would contain but 22 Men, commanded by Capt. Richardson; these engaged the Enemy, firing by Platoons regularly, and with so true an Aim, that every Shot took place, and the French fell so fast, that in less than ten Minutes they lost Courage, and fled with Precipitation, having in this short Action at least 100 Men killed and wounded, and drowned in getting into their Boats. We expected a fresh Onset the next Day, but it seems they had enough of it, for they went away quietly. We have buried 35 of their Dead, and are dayly in search of such as have hid themselves in the Bushes, or died there of their Wounds, which latter we believe, by the Stench to be many, but can give no certain Account of them, nor of the drowned. Among the Dead are the second Capt. of the Commodore, (Monsieur Le Touch) the first Lieutenant of the other Ship; Capt. Rolough, an old Privateer: Beside their Priest who married his Wife off this Island; the Governor of St. Bartholomew's Son, and several other Officers: The Commodore himself was wounded in his Arm and Thigh so much, that they were obliged to carry him on board, as they did 25 others. Some of these Particulars we learn by some Prisoners set on Shore by a Flag of Truce sent by the Commodore. They had landed several Hand Grenado Shells, Swivel Guns, fixed on Triangles, Beef, Cheese, Bread and Wine: The four last Articles were good Plunder for our Negroes. Every dead Man had in his Pockets, small Lines for phooning our Negroes. We had not one Man hurt, and have got by this Expedition, besides two Pair of their Colours, a great many fine Buccaneer Guns, Cartouch-boxes, &c which they left behind with which we intend to arm our most trusty and sensible Negroes, to strengthen our Island

By way of Eustatia we hear, that the French at Martinico own, they lost 250 Men in this Expedition.

Mr *Timothy*

YOU may assure the Publick, that the *EXTRACT*, which appear'd in your last Gazette, was *there inserted*, absolutely without my Knowledge, and contrary to my Inclination.

J—— *S*——.

CHARLES TOWN, Aug 26

About 12 Days since, a Brigt. came to an Anchor off *St Simon's* Bar and fired a Gun, which being answered they sent in their Boat, upon a Presumption that they were off *Augustine* Harbour. Capt. *Davis* in the Guard-Schooner (which has had a thorough Repair) immediately went out and brought her into the Harbour. She had a *French* Commander on board, but was manned with *Spaniards*, and one *English*man only, who said, she was from *Antigua* bound to *Philadelphia*, and had 150 Hogsheads of Rum, besides Sugar, Limejuice, &c on board.

On Thursday last arrived here Captain *Richard Stiles* from *Jamaica*. He touch'd at *Frederica* on Monday, and the Day before saw 3 Sloops and a Schooner (which he supposed to be some of the Enemies Captures made on this Coast) steering for *St Augustine*.

We hear, that all the Enemies Privateers are now gone off the Coast; and, that one of his Majesty's Ships of War in this Harbour will sail on a Cruize soon.

On Tuesday last the Rev. Mr. *Grant*, Minister of the *Scots* Kirk in this Town, was married to Miss *Elizabeth Martin*, a handsome young Lady, with a pretty Fortune

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CUSTOM HOUSE CHARLES TOWN,

Entered Inwards.

Schooner Sea flower, Field Cossett, from Frederica.

Sloop Sea-flower, John Newbold, from Jamaica.

Entered Outwards.

Snow Essex, J. Adams, for the Orkneys.

Clear'd for Departure.

Snow Thomas & Mary, Abra. Cornish, to Figura.

Billander Vernon, John Addis, to Poole.

Schooner Indian Queen, Robert Cannon,

Sloop William, Maximillian Dowle, and

Sloop Relief, Jn. Seymour, to Jamaica.

EXPORTED *from* Charles Town, *from the First Day of* November *last.*

Rice, 52,333 Barrels.

Advertisements.

Lost between the Independent Meeting-House and the House late of *James Thompson* up the Path, a Pocket-Book, with several Papers therein. Whoever brings the said Pocket Book to the Printer hereof, shall have as a Reward Five Pounds Current Money.

Lately published,

And to be sold by the *Printer* hereof.

TWELVE Acts passed by the General Assembly of this Province the 22d of *March* and 25th of *May* last; among which are, *the Election Law*, and that *concerning Executors*, &c also *the additional Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors*

All those to whom the Estate of *John Cook* of *Santee*, deceased, is indebted, are desired to send in their Accounts attested, that proper Measures may be taken for their Discharge by the Executors. *James Maxwell.*

George Cook

N.B. All those indebted to said Estate are desired forthwith to pay their respective Debts, or they will be sued, without further Notice.

Stolen or stray'd off *Charles Town* Green a white Horse, without any Brands, but had a Scar on the mounting Shoulder, paces, and trots not at all. Whoever brings the said Horse to *Peter Leger* Cooper in *Charles Town*, shall be rewarded.

Just Imported, fresh Esopus Flower, and Biscuit, and Garden Seeds, in the Sloop *Carolina*, *John Shermerhorne* Master from *New York*, and to be Sold on the Bay, by *Samuel Shermerhorne*.

Aug. 19th Mr. *Samuel Hurst*, on *Charles Town* neck, informed me of a grey Gelding found in his Pasture, about 14 hands high, branded on the mounting Shoulder D and on the mounting Buttock H S Any Person claiming the above Horse, may have him again, proving his Title before *George Saxby*

A black Mare branded on the near Buttock C F, and on the off Shoulder like a Flower de Lis join'd to a Diamond. Also an Iron gray Gelding, branded on the mounting Shoulder W. Any Person claiming the above Creatures, may have them, proving their Title before *John Skree*

Whoever hath any Demands on the Estate of Doctor *Francis Mariana St James's Santee*, deceased, are desired to bring in their Accounts duely Attested, to *Richard Peake*, on the Bay of *Charles Town*, or *Thomas Tinsdeall* on *Daniel's Island*, in order that the same may be satisfy'd by his Administrators.

Brought to me by Mr. Samuel Bowes, a grey Horse, about 14 Hands high, branded on the near Buttock S with an I a cross The Owner may have him by applying to *Francis Lejau*, J P.

Just imported in the Sloop *Caroline* Packet, *John Schermerhorn* Master, from *New York*, *Esopus* Flour and Ship Bread, and to be sold by *Jeremiah Colley* at his Store on the Bay, who has also choice *French* Claret in Hogsheads to sell very reasonably

An Overseer of a good Character, and having a wife that understands a dairy, may meet with encouragement from *Andrew Rutledge.*

To be sold and delivered at a reasonable Rate in *Charles Town*, during this Winter Season, extraordinary good Crop Grass Hay, Corn Blades, Indian Corn, Indian Peale, Dwarf Peale, and Oats, by *John Harvey.*

Stray'd into the Plantation of Benjamin Godin, Esq; at *Goose Creek* a Roan Horse about 13 Hands high, branded on the off Shoulder and Buttock +5 Any Person claiming the said Horse may apply to *Peter Taylor*

At a Court of Common Pleas, *begun and holden at* Charles Town *the 13th Day of August*, 1745

JOHN BONNELL having been duely summoned and returned to serve as a Juror for the said Court, made Default, for which he is fineable at *Five Pounds, Proclamation*, unless he can shew good and sufficient Excuse upon Oath, why the said Fine should not be levied at the said Court to be holden on the *second Tuesday* in *October* next, pursuant to the Directions of the Act of the General Assembly in that Case made and provided

J Wedderburn, Cl. C.P.

Stolen or stray'd from off the Common in *Charles Town*, a strong Bay Horse, about 14 Hands high, ten Years old, a black Main and Tail, a few Grey Hairs on the Forehead, several saddle Spots, the Marks on the 2d Shoulder like gA in one, and H on the Buttock, they are such old Marks that one can't be sure what they are, he had a Lock on his Foot when on the Common, but likely that's taken off Whosoever brings this Horse to *Edward Jenkins* in *Charles Town*, shall have 3 *l.* reward, and all Costs and Charges paid.

The Subscriber gives Notice to all those Gentlemen, that have hitherto been pleas'd to favour him with their Employ; that he is moved from the House he lately lived in in *Union street*, to the House where *John Kingston* lately liv'd in, next Door to Doctor *Jacob Martin's* in *King street*, where his Customers may depend upon having their Work well, and deliver'd punctually to the Time requir'd.

William Bessot Taylor.

N B He begs all those indebted to him, would be pleased to settle with him by the 10th of *December* next

To be Sold by *Elizabeth Dicott*, sen. a Tract of Land, containing 330 Acres in *St Paul's Parish, Colleton* County, about 3 Miles from *Wiltown*, and about 4 from *Jacksonburgh*; the Whole good Corn, Rice and Indigo Land, with great conveniency of Water, and a good Dwelling house. Any Person inclining to purchase, may treat with me at *Jacksonburgh* *Eliz. Dicott* sen.

South Carolina. *WHEREAS* Cornelius Miller *of the Province aforesaid, Mariner, has exhibited his Petition to the Chief Justice and Two of the Justices of the Court of* Common Pleas, *setting forth, that he is in the Custody of the Provost Marshal of this Province, by Virtue of three Mesne Processes at the Suit of* Frederick Good *and his Wife*, James & Alexander Robertson, *and* William Watkin, *for Debts to them justly due, and that he is ready and willing to make Surrender, upon Oath, to One or more of his Creditors in Trust for the Rest, all and singular his Estate, both real and personal, a List or Schedule of his Estate being annexed to his said Petition, and prays to be admitted to the Benefit of the Acts of the General Assembly in such Case lately made and provided.* It is therefore Ordered, *and the said* Frederick Good *and his Wife*, James *and* Alexander Robertson, *and* William Watkin, *and all others to whom the said* Cornelius Miller *is in any wise indebted, are hereby summoned, and have Notice to appear at the usual Place of Judicature in* Charles-Town, *on the first Tuesday in* October *next, (being the first Day of the said Month) before the Justices aforesaid, to shew Cause, if any they can, why the said* Cornelius Miller *should not be entitled to the Benefit of the said Acts, upon his complying with the Terms therein prescribed. August 23, 1745.*

J Wedderburn, Cl C P.

Run away from my Plantation nigh *Dorchester*, in *October* last, a large well set Negro Fellow named *Prince*, about 25 Years of Age, has lost one Joint of the middle Finger of his right Hand, speaks good *English*, and is pretty much whaled on the Back Any Person who will apprehend and bring the said Fellow to Mr *Ezekiel Branford* at *Pompion*, or to my said Plantation, or gives such Intelligence of him that he may be found, shall have 3 *l.* Reward, and any Person known to harbour him may expect to be prosecuted according to the utmost Severity of the Law, by *William Smith.*

Mary Anne Benoist gives Notice, that she takes in clear starching, dresses Ladies Heads, and makes all the Ornaments of Silver Flowers for young Misses Head dresses, and also makes Bonnets and Manteelets. She lives upon the Green next Door to Mr. *Weaver* the Carpenter

Run away from the Subscriber, about a Month ago, a Negro Woman named *Judith*, well known in *Charles-Town*. Whoever apprehends the said Run-away, and brings her to me, or to the Work house in *Charlestown*, shall receive 3 *l.* Reward, and whoever entertains her may expect to be prosecuted.

Robert Pringle.

Taken in Amelia Township, on the 21st of July, the following stray'd creatures, viz. a white Steer with a black neck of mr. *George Beard's* mark, branded with a B in an O, and one of *Isaac Brunson* branded 33. *John Lloyd.*

Francis Lesene at the Head of *Sampit-River*, the 20th Day of *July* gave me Information of a Roan Horse, with a black Main and Tail, without Brand or Mark, taken up by him, *Wm. Whitefield.*

Brigadier John Bee, *Captain* Elisha Butler, *and Mr* James Berrie, *having informed me, that the several Cattle and Horse described below (the Owners whereof they know not) keep in their Pastures, viz.*

A large pyed Stag, his Horns sawed, and marked in the right Ear with two slits, in the left with two slits and an under & upper penny, and branded M.

A black pyed Steer, marked in the right Ear with a Crop and two slits, in the left with a Crop and under half penny, and brand, and EWB *in one*

A large brown pyed Steer, marked in each Ear with an under Keel.

A yellow pyed Steer and red Cow, marked in each Ear with an under Keel, and branded 5 D.

A Dun Bull, marked in the right Ear with a Crop and under half penny, in the left with a slit and under half penny, and branded Æ.

A brindled Cow with a Calf, the cow is marked in the right Ear with a crop and under half penny, in the left with a swallow fork and under half penny, and branded 5 D.

A dun cow with a calf, the cow mark'd in the right ear with a slit and upper half penny, in the left with a crop and under half penny, the brand obscure.

A dun heifer, marked in the right ear with an under keel, and in the left with a swallow fork.

A brown cow, marked in the right ear with a crop and upper half penny, in the left with a crop and Figure 7, with three Heads of her Ears cut.

A brown cow with a calf, the cow marked in the right ear with a slit and under half penny, in the left with a swallow fork and under half penny, and branded R on the shoulder, and C A on the buttock

A red pyed heifer, marked in each ear with a swallow fork, and branded EN *in one*

A brinded cow with a calf, the cow mark'd in the right ear with a crop and four slits, and branded Z.

A black pyed cow with a calf, the cow marked in the right ear with a slit and under half penny, in the left with an under half penny

A large speckled brinded cow, marked in the right ear with a crop in the left with a swallow fork, and branded on both sides, but illegibly.

A brown cow with a calf, the cow mark'd in the right ear with a poplar leaf, in the left with an under and upper half penny

A brinded cow with a heifer yearling both marked in the right ear with a Crop and under half penny, in the left with an under keel, and branded, but not plain.

A large brinded Bull, marked in the right ear with a crop, in the left with a swallow fork and branded on the thigh 21.

A small bay horse, branded on the off shoulder C R *in one.*

A black Mare, her two hinder feet white, and branded on the off shoulder and buttock M.

This is, in pursuance of the Law in that case made and provided, to acquaint the Owners, that upon proving their Right to the said Creatures, they may have them delivered to them upon applying to

James Bullock.

Aug 22d, 1745.